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Indiana Winter Wheat Production

Indiana wheat growers continue to expect a slightly lower wheat yield than in 2014, according to Greg Matli, State Statistician of the USDA, NASS, Indiana Field Office. Indiana wheat growers expect to harvest 305,000 acres, down 30,000 acres from last year. Wheat production in the State is expected to be 22.6 million bushels. The yield forecast of 74 bushels would be 2 bushels below the previous year.

U.S. winter wheat production is forecast at 1.51 billion bushels, up 2 percent from the May 1 forecast and up 9 percent from 2014. Based on June 1 conditions, the United States yield is forecast at 44.5 bushels per acre, up 1 bushel from last month and up 1.9 bushels from last year.

Crop Summary, June 2015

Commodity	Indiana			United States		
	2013	2014	2015	2013	2014	2015
Wheat, winter						
Planted 1,000 acres	460	390	340	43,230	42,399	40,751
Harvested 1,000 acres	435	335	305	32,650	32,304	33,838
YieldBushels	73.0	76.0	74.0	47.3	42.6	44.5
Production 1,000 bu	31,755	25,460	22,570	1,542,902	1,377,526	1,505,072

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